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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Stephen Anthony Byrne, et al.
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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS
FOR PERFORMING USAGE
BASED BILLING
Group No.: 3639
Examiner: Igor N. Borissov

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TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is:
Amendment Transmittal (3 pgs.), Amendment in Response to Office Action dated July 19, 2005 (27 pgs.), Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal (2 pgs.), IDS Form 1449 (1 pg.), and Return Postcard (1 pg.)

STATUS

- Applicant
☐ claims small entity status.
☒ is other than a small entity.

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

| Extension for response within: | Other than small entity Fee | Small entity Fee (if applicable) |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <u> </u> first month | \$ 120.00 | \$ 60.00 |
| <u> X </u> second month | \$ 450.00 | \$ 225.00 |
| <u> </u> third month | \$ 1,020.00 | \$ 510.00 |
| <u> </u> fourth month | \$1,590.00 | \$ 795.00 |
| <u> </u> fifth month | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |

Fee: \$450.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

— An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$

OR

- (b) Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

| | (Col. 1) | | (Col. 2) | (Col. 3) | SMALL ENTITY | | OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY |
|-----------------|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|----|--------------------------------|
| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA | ADDITIONAL RATE FEE | OR | ADDITIONAL RATE FEE |
| | | MINUS | | = | x \$25.00 = \$ | | x \$50.00 = \$ |
| TOTAL INDEP. | | MINUS | | = | x \$100.00 = \$ | | x \$200.00 = \$ |
| — | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | + \$180.00 = \$ | | + \$360.00 = \$ |
| | | | | | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$0.00 | OR | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$0.00 |

- (a) ☒ No additional fee for Claims is required

OR

- (b) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$ _____

FEE PAYMENT

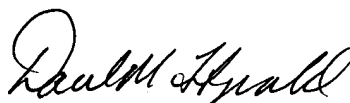
5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$ _____
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$450.00.
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

AND/OR

- ☒ If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.
7. ☐ Other:



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